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In re Application of:

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No. PCT/GB99/01350 - filed 30 April 1999)

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For: IMMUNOSUPPRESSION BY BLOCKING T CELL CO-STIMULATION  
SIGNAL 2(B7/CD28 INTERACTION)

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to examination, applicants wish to amend the above-identified application as follows:

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